Senate Government Operations Committee 1

Amendment No. 1 to SB0910

Bell Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 910

House Bill No. 852*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-5-301, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection:

() After a party has brought forward sufficient evidence to establish a prima facie case to contest the denial, suspension, or revocation of any permit, certificate, registration, or license, then pursuant to the contested case provisions of this part, the agency shall bear the burden of proving, by a preponderance of the evidence, that the agency's action was proper.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to all contested case hearings initiated on or after such date.